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**Lady PATRICIA BRABOURNE, our Colonel in Chief
and
Major General G.G. BROWN, Colonel of The Regiment,
celebrate the sixty third anniversary of
The Battle of Frezenberg, with 1 PPCLI.**



IVORY TOWER

Here is your famous reporter Stephen D Shirk III, MCpl Esquire reporting from the Ivory Tower.

In case you didn't know where I was during the period 7 May to 14 May, I took the opportunity to do a recce of our leave centre in Limassol; except for the sunburn I had a wonderful time.

My absence couldn't have been felt too badly as Pte "Swifty" Morris Moody was still plunking away at the typewriter — and not in a straightjacket. Keep practicing Mooris, you'll make it to the top, yet!!

Our leader of the Clerical Staff, Sgt "Bruce" Gibb, only replied with "Who are you?". Actually he was happy to see his 2i/c back after a long coffee break.

At this time I would like to point out some of the people who work for us clerks in the JOC. They are (in alphabetical order) Lt "STEVIE THE WONDER" Baker, Lt "SMILING DAN" Hansen, Capt "SHAUN" Tymchuk (newly adorned with this auspicious title) and Lt "FAST EDIE" Vaillancourt. Without their support we would never know what to do!!!!

Also let us not forget their illustrious leader, Captain "BOB THE BEAR" Newman (our OC) and his sidekick the SDO, Captain "JIM-Bo" Penman. Who else could keep these troopers in line.

Well as freedom of the press is always on the go. I should sign off and will return again. If not from the Ivory Tower then from the Crowbar Hotel. That's if this article doesn't get nipped in the bud before hitting the press. So take care and the best fortune from all of us to all of you.

OPS INFO

Well its time to report from Ops B again, the section where information is collected from you people and maintained by us!!

The last two weeks have been very busy here what with visits by the Col in Chief of the Regt, the Col of the Regt, the American Ambassador and a press group from Calgary. Naturally Ops B was right in there supporting those visits.

MCpl Pirie has had one thing on his mind the last few days, he has been sighted running around making sure everything was set for his Thursday 18 May 78 flight to Germany. Have a good time Gus!!

MCpl Parker is now left handling the weight of the whole section. My God the pressure!!

Cpl Polupski continues to astound CANCON with his artistic flare and graphic art work. Speaking of being busy that flash you saw must have been him.

MCpl Archer our photographer is still in the process of trying



BROADCAST FROM HQ COY SIGNALS

Lo Lo Lo good buddies here we are again with another Sitrep from good old Sig's PI. There's not a lot of happenings to report this issue however we shall endeavor to enlighten our readers.

First we would like to welcome our newest member "ISABELLE" CHRYSLER, D.O.B. '54. She will be working over at Sig Stores with M/Cpl John Burke and Cpl Ron Bennett. Isabelle was recently rescued by these two from a terrible fate called the refuse heap. Isabelle will retire some day with a million miles or 30 years which ever comes first.

M/Cpl Byron Fletcher says he has an open invitation from the 1980 Olympic Commission if by that date sandbagging becomes a recognized sport. It has ra-

pidly become the "IN SPORT" these days in the PI. The PI members dash in each morning and eagerly add their names to the list of volunteers to compete in another days' active bagging competition. There are still some people though who consider it an excellent spectator sport. The teams motto though borrowed seems appropriate "DON'T WRAP IT BAG IT".

Meanwhile back in the Comm Can we have a new M/Cpl, congratulations to Bill McCowan on his recent promotion. Bill says he will not let rank sway his policies and will continue to be mean and snarly in the mornings.

Capt Mike Hanrahan has been busy negotiating with our British allies to instigate an exchange program for the Comm

Cen pers. We are not sure how this swap was decided upon but the good Capt was seen returning from the bargaining table about 1:30 AM last week.

We don't mind the teapot in the CommCen but frying Kippers is definitely out.

S day or shuffle day occurs in the PI on the 29th of May, when several members of the PI will move to new jobs. Once again the large dart made the carefully planned decisions who would move and where they move to.

Well mates that's enough QRM for this issue so will ZKJ but ZUJ for further Sig PI happenings.

BCNU

QRM — MAN MADE NOISE
ZKJ — CLOSE DOWN
ZUJ — STANBY



to catch up by staying in the darkroom and living like a mushroom.

Capt Romses after the last hectic two weeks now can finally relax — we think! The Cal-

gary press group spent a good week here and hopefully the battalion will benefit from it!

THE FIGHTING SECOND

Parades and OP duties, all form part of a working man's day. The working men that I am of course referring to are those of 2 platoon. Men who give their heart and souls to their daily chores, without even so much as a whimper. The idea of a complaint book handed down by our fearless WO "Writers Cramp" Nicholl was well accepted by his daring men, but the book still remains in its virginal state!! Anyways, if you happen to wander by our two platoon room and see the WO rubbing his pen dented fingers, stop in and say hello! Its lonely being at the top, except when he is in the presence of Pte "Bambi" Tamboline, who's company he finds exciting.

In two platoon our area of responsibility runs from Irish Bridge to the most westerly point of the Company's OPs, Mojave. Here men can be seen being juggled back and forth from work to sleep and vice versa. This way everyone gets a chance to see what the other person looks like in his awakening hours. This is always good for a laugh and raises the morale for the first few hours of duty.

While on the subject of morale, one of our most thought of soldiers Pte "Hammy" Hamilton can be heard saying "don't look so down, I miss your girlfriend as much as you do". (Leaves one to think why he is so well thought of). More to come on that story later.

Now of the lighter side of the news, for all you Kojak look alikes, MCpl MacPherson is believed to have found his fountain of youth. To his surprise one morning he found a few new hairs. We are sure he wouldn't mind sharing his secret with you when he figures it out himself. If you wish to give him a hand he can be found at OP Coriano (where it is believed he was last seen).

Now for the weather; hot, humid, unbearable, sticky, and would someone please get me a respirator!! Something stinks around here and I think its this editorial!! So long from 2 PI, see ya next week.

THE BIG 3 - CHARLIE'S ANGELS

...a grimy blackened face of one of Big Reds best; looked skyward praying for rain as 3 PI fought one of the Cypriot imitations of a B.C. forest fire which plagued the eastern front during the past week. We have been considering changing our name from the "Root Bears" to "Smokey the Bear". It is nothing to worry about, just a little spontaneous combustion or



PSST PSST VARIDI! SAY SOMETHING

maybe some 7-year-olds with matches.

3 PI showed again their PR value to the company by entertaining our Colonel-in-Chief in a typically professional manner. They also survived the news exposure and camera clicking that went with it. Although "Redford" Roberts was heard asking about the address of CBC and swearing not to wash his right hand ever again!!

Pte "Crash" Coubrough showed the line change how to do a 3 point landing out of a speeding 3/4 ton without even trying. Good try "Coob" but not quite a homer.

The members of 8 section have been considering a centerfold in "Better Homes and Gardens" for their rockwork out at OP Bastion. Check it out.

We would like to thank our sister platoon for continuing support of the best platoon in Big Red.



PTE ROBERTS:- "THEY WENT THAT WAY MA'AM".

THE CHAMPIONS

Well, hello again from the "Champions". Where the best succeeded in pulling through Standby Platoon and once again we are adorning those lovely little blue huts out on yonder line.

A little change in scenery as we are at the other end of the BZ, making Orchard and Mojave look exceptionally well with Big No 1's personnel.

Not much exciting happens out here, except for Mojave's new fan and Coca Cola add opposite the OP.

Orchard is very quiet but enjoyable for the guys to sit on that big roof and watch those

ultra-violet rays which cascade down upon their already deapening tans.

The parade went over fairly well on the 8th of May and we were proud to contribute to it.

The boys from Kronberg have been keeping a low profile and increasing their silhouettes due to the good cooking of Sgt "Domesticat" Blake and MCpl "Airborne Dollar" Gallant. The only problem with manning this particular OP is extracting the section after their 2 week tour is up.

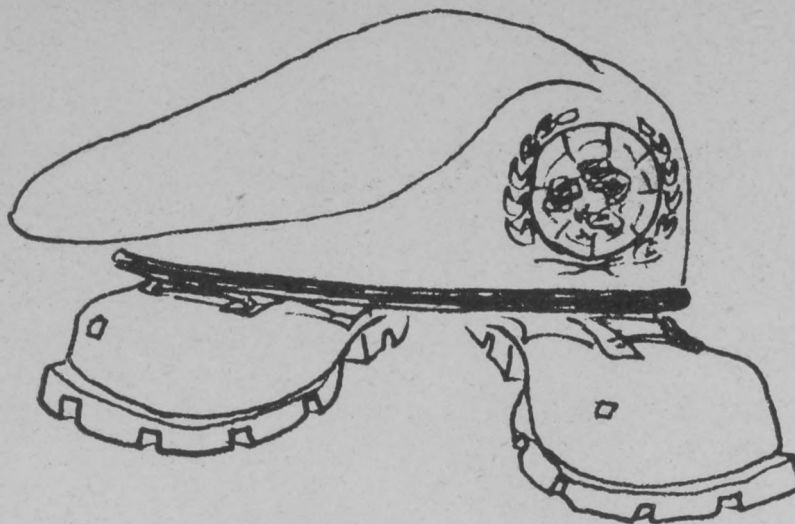
Well that's all from the "Champions", when everything runs like a well oiled machine, who needs to squawk!!

WANTED

QUICK SUB-EDITOR
WITH
A VERY GOOD
KNOWLEDGE OF
WRITTEN
ENGLISH

— Apply to the DCO —

MCpl Thibeau (Giant of a Man)



Awww! C'mon guys get this thing off...

by the way all you guys bore me anyways.

REPORT FROM BBC LOG COY

FROM THE SCALPEL

Since 1 April 78 the workload of the MIR staff has been pretty steady. We have seen many sports injuries and several cases of enteritis. As well during the silent hours we have seen some weird injuries.

MCpl Hunt our medical rear party has been accepted for OTCP and will leave us for course shortly. Good luck Wayne.

DR Shore is presently on his UN leave, Capt Morton managed to find time to come over from Lahr to provide professionalism in DR Shore's absence. Doc Morton is striving to cast or place on crutches the entire battalion before he returns to Lahr.

Our Med A commitments are heavy with the range qualifications going on and we hear rumors that the 2x10 milers is just around the corner.

In closing lose weight, drink less, exercise more and roll on October.

THE CLERKS

Hello from CANCON BOR, the clerical heart of the contingent in Cyprus, and as time passes the center of more and more activity both curricular and extra curricular.

As we speed into our second month here on the Isle Of Aphrodite our whole BOR staff earnestly start each day with renewed interest of bigger things to come, this example set for us by our tireless ADJT — Major RK McDiarmid. I don't suppose at the end of that bottomless "In Basket" a posting message lurks with EARLY REPAT stamped across the front. May I also mention on behalf of the entire BOR congratulations go to Maj McDiarmid on his re-

cent promotion to that rank. Best of luck in all future endeavours.

As of this writing our trusty No. 1 augmentee — NCO IC CR, Cpl Barry Tywnam is still away on a much deserved two week jaunt to balmy England no doubt bored and itching to return to sunny Cyprus. "Hurry back Cpl Tywnam" were the words heard coming from our Chief Clerk, WO Gord Zenert's lips only moments ago as he not only copes with the rigors of doing the daily Chief Clerks duties but also must cover Central Registry and deal with all incoming and outgoing correspondence — this added pressure though does not seem to bother him at all, as we hear the words "What can I say" to finalize all difficult questions.

In a competitive vein, our R&D Clerk — Sgt Jack Weaver and Rcds Clerk, MCpl Eric Gorman are holding a competition for "most days spent in a cast during a 6 month tour of Cyprus" as both have fallen victim to sports injuries. Making matters worse for Sgt Weaver this Thurs he leaves for his two weeks in Belgium — with or without the cast right Jack.

The prime purpose of our entire BOR Section is to provide clerical support to all of CANCON and this could not be accomplished without the help of our civilian typist, Mayda many thanks from an appreciative staff.

With the end of May in sight our major goal now, (besides leave) has got to be medals parade in early July, and on this pleasant thought I shall bid adieu for this issue and look forward to the many challenges ahead, all of which will be met with professional enthusiasm by the members of CANCON BOR.

HOT WHEELS

I knew I would get your attention. Some of the highlights in Transport from BBC are that Sgt Jackson is deep into keeping transport on the road considering the shape in which our vehicles were in when we took over.

Cpl Orr and the "high ball kid" alias McMahon or "bones" have achieved their 2500 accident free miles here, in Cyprus which is at times quite a challenge considering road conditions and Cyprus drivers. Hopefully they will keep up the good work for six months; for their 5000 accident free miles, we wish them luck.

MCpl Anderson in his first 2 weeks mastered the 50 passenger bus but in the third week found the fifth gear which is quite good but in the following week to his surprise he found a sixth gear. What a gear box. (the bus).

Speaking of the bus, everyone in CANCON knows its in far better shape than any Greyhound but A. J. Foyt, I mean Cpl Moore took it to Limassol and on his return had a broken drivers seat and no door on the battery box. He couldn't shut off the engine because it wouldn't better crew of guys who are start again.

Tom & Jerry, I mean MCpls

Casey and Hey are still trying to get into POL by hauling all the flammable products they can.

We would go on and on in depth explaining how our elite organization is run, but as all of you know our legend is already being carved on the roads. It is possible you could have a better crew of guys who are more efficient, but I doubt it.

SQUICK FROM THE POST VAN

Whenever Canadian Forces personnel serve outside of Canada the staff of the Canadian Forces Postal Section are there to provide a link with those left behind. The Canconyp postal det is located in B.B.C. and provides full post office services, including registration, certified mail and money orders.

All personnel having problems or questions regarding postal services should contact the post office in person or phone B.B.C. 7274.

In an effort to provide fast and efficient delivery of personal mail all personnel are requested to use their proper address which should include their company and section.

SUPPORT GROUP

If you have a drinking problem

— that's yours

If you want to stop

— that's ours

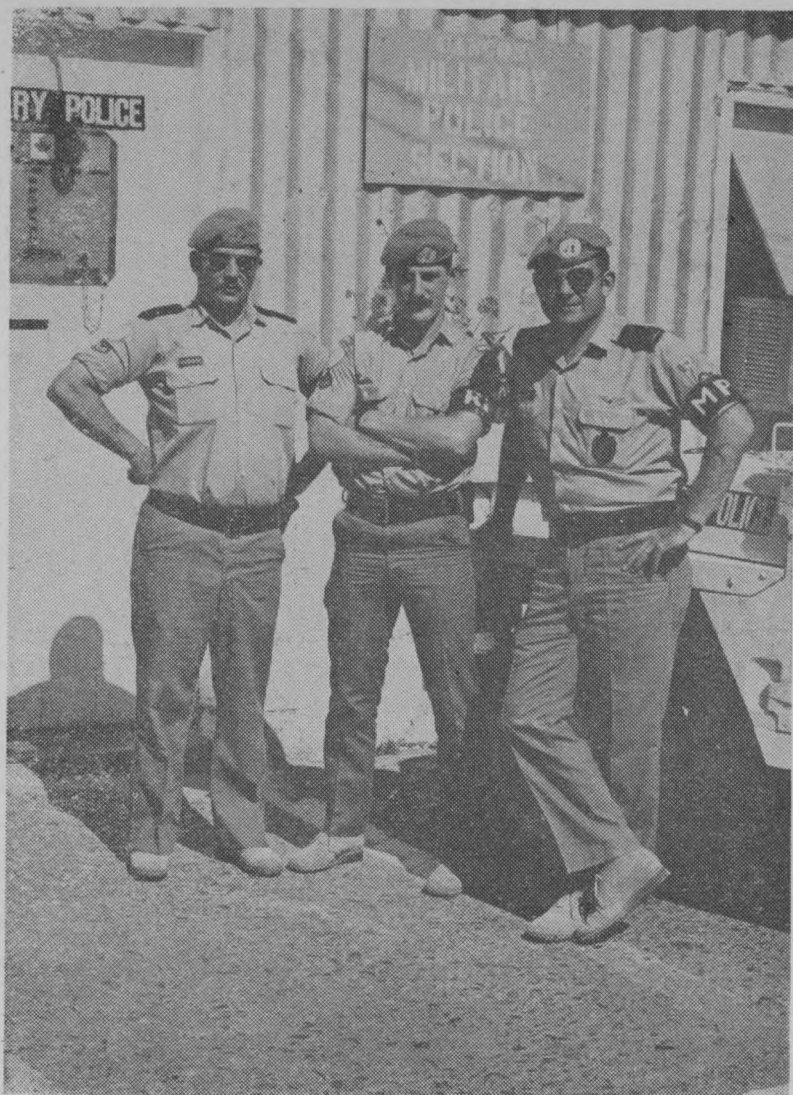
TUESDAYS — 19.30 hours

Ledra Palace — RM 146

A A MEETING

THURSDAYS 19.30 hours

at the Ledra Palace RM 146



From left to right:

MCPL DUGGAN, MCPL SANDS, SGT CARTY.

PADRE'S CORNER DEPENDENCE

When we are born into this world, we are totally dependent. We soon learn to feed ourselves, walk ourselves, clothe ourselves, but we are still dependent on instructors. As we mature, we learn to communicate, we learn to love, we learn to respond and feel, we learn to believe or disbelieve; all of these activities are dependent on our environment, our instructors, our upbringing, our inner-being.

When we joined the army, we are taught new dependences. We were taught to depend on our buddies. There is no such thing as an "individual" soldier — he has to belong to an army. When he belongs, he is dependent on that system.

As we grow and mature, our dependences change — they have to, and if they do not, there is something wrong. For instance, we cannot depend on our mothers doing everything for us all our lives. We all know what we think of a "Mommy's Boy". If we are overdependent on any one factor in life, our development is stunted, warped, negative, incomplete. This overdependence dominates, and the other positive factors of life are not allowed to play their role to make us whole, responsible persons.

On a posting such as this, we can adopt one of those stunting, negative over-dependences — over-dependences on alcohol. It's always there; it's cheap; it's the greatest excuse for our behaviour; it helps us forget; it kills time; it's our friend.

Give it time — four more months to work on you. When we go home it will probably be the only friend you can depend on. It will replace your dependence on family. You will buy it instead of food or pay the banker. Yes, it is cheap now, but do not forget, you could be paying for it the rest of your life!

We cannot stand a "Mommy's Boy", but somehow we admire a "Beer Buddy". When our new Battalion educational and support programs come into being, take note, and take advantage.

WATCHDOG'S BARK

Howdy from your local MP/RP (Meathead) Section. So far we've clocked off 1½ months here and have been kept fairly busy. So have some of our guests, just ask them.

Our leader and marathoner, Sgt (Speedy) Carty is almost half way around the island. If he keeps it up he'll run back to Canada very shortly. Do you think he's trying to pull something on us? He keeps the section hopping by his red pen correcting ability on all our reports. We'll make good secretaries yet.

As for our two eyed looker MCpl (Suave) Pete Neill, he's our public relations man with all the locals and he's not doing too badly either.

Next comes Jnr MCpl (Big Fish) Don Duggan. Right now he's in the pool practicing for his big swim back to Canada. Just make sure no one mistakes you for a lost island, eh Don.

Cpl (Spermwhale) Marcel Desmarais is plugging along slow but sure. He did a three mile run non stop the other day. His favourite fable is the story about the tortois and the hare. I wonder if that has any bearing on his speed. Keep trucking old buddy.

Then of course from the RP's their is MCpl (Father Willie) Sands who insists that there may still be some truth to the rumor that reading the Mormon scriptures might be an MP/RP's salvation. The section however, has yet to put it to the vote.

Then there is Cpl (Hot Shot) Greenwood who has been diligently fighting off the ever present threat the guardroom has of being over run by the Sigs Pl (especially when they run out of pop). He has perfected the admin clerk's defensive strategy of fight until the rubber bands run out. It seems to be a losing battle but Bob's airborne training sees him still hanging in there.

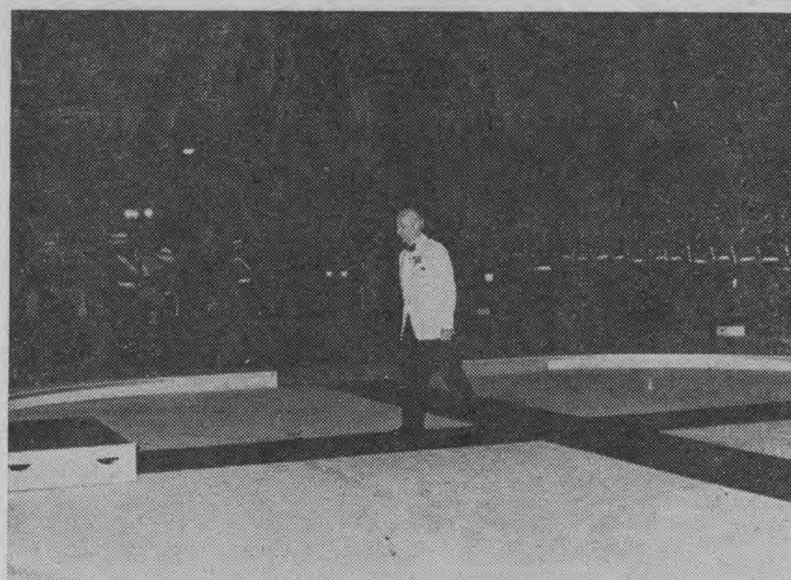
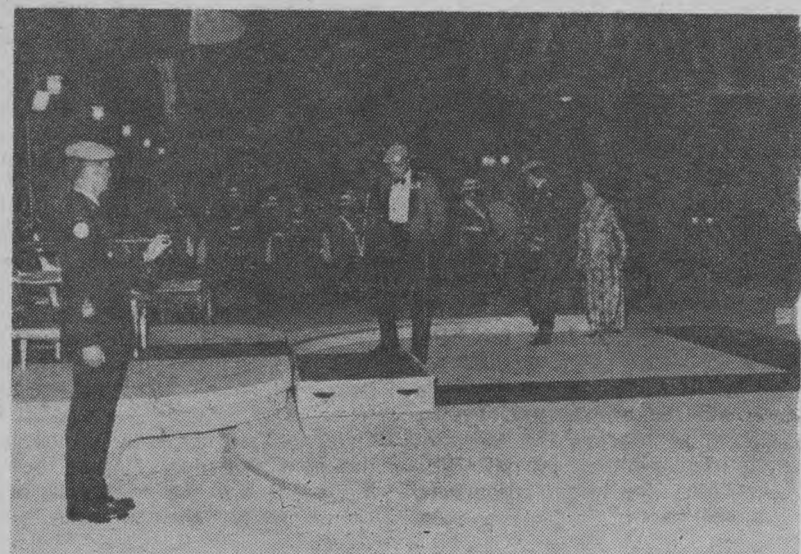
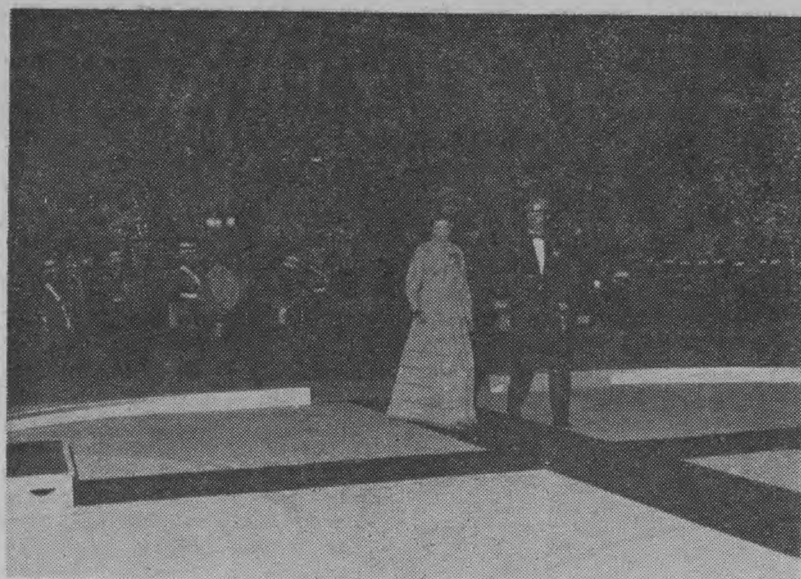
Of course one can't forget Cpl Brian (BG) Rowe. His assault on the local Bar-B-Q chicken industry has if nothing else kept him fairly quiet. Some people just never seem to gain weight.

Last but not least there is our resident red head and single man Cpl Brian (Carrot Top) Jensen. If you want to know the ins and outs of collecting your own harem, he's the man to see.

Well guys that is the personality line up for call sign 'Watchdog'. As for the "What's happening" line up the section is enjoying a couple of days without any hotel guests. Whoops I spoke too soon. Well keep trying troops. Then of course we can be seen any night of the week patrolling the neon lighted areas of down town Nicosia so stop and talk to your local CanCon patrolman anytime and take advantage if you must of our friendly, courteous CanCon Taxi services. So until the next time don't bother looking over your shoulder, rest assured we're always there.



Visit of Our Col. in Chief



Lady Patricia Brabourne



BN SPORTS

BASE BALL

	G	P	W	L	Pts
HQ	2	1	1	2	
A	2	1	1	2	
B	1	1	0	2	
Log	1	0	1	0	

BASKET BALL STANDINGS

	G	P	W	L	Pts
HQ	2	2	0	4	
A	2	2	0	4	
B	2	0	2	0	
Log	1	1	0	2	
US Emb	3	0	3	0	

SOCCER

	G	P	W	L	Pts
HQ	2	0	2	0	
A	3	1	2	2	
B	2	1	0	2	
Log	3	3	0	6	

VOLLEY BALL

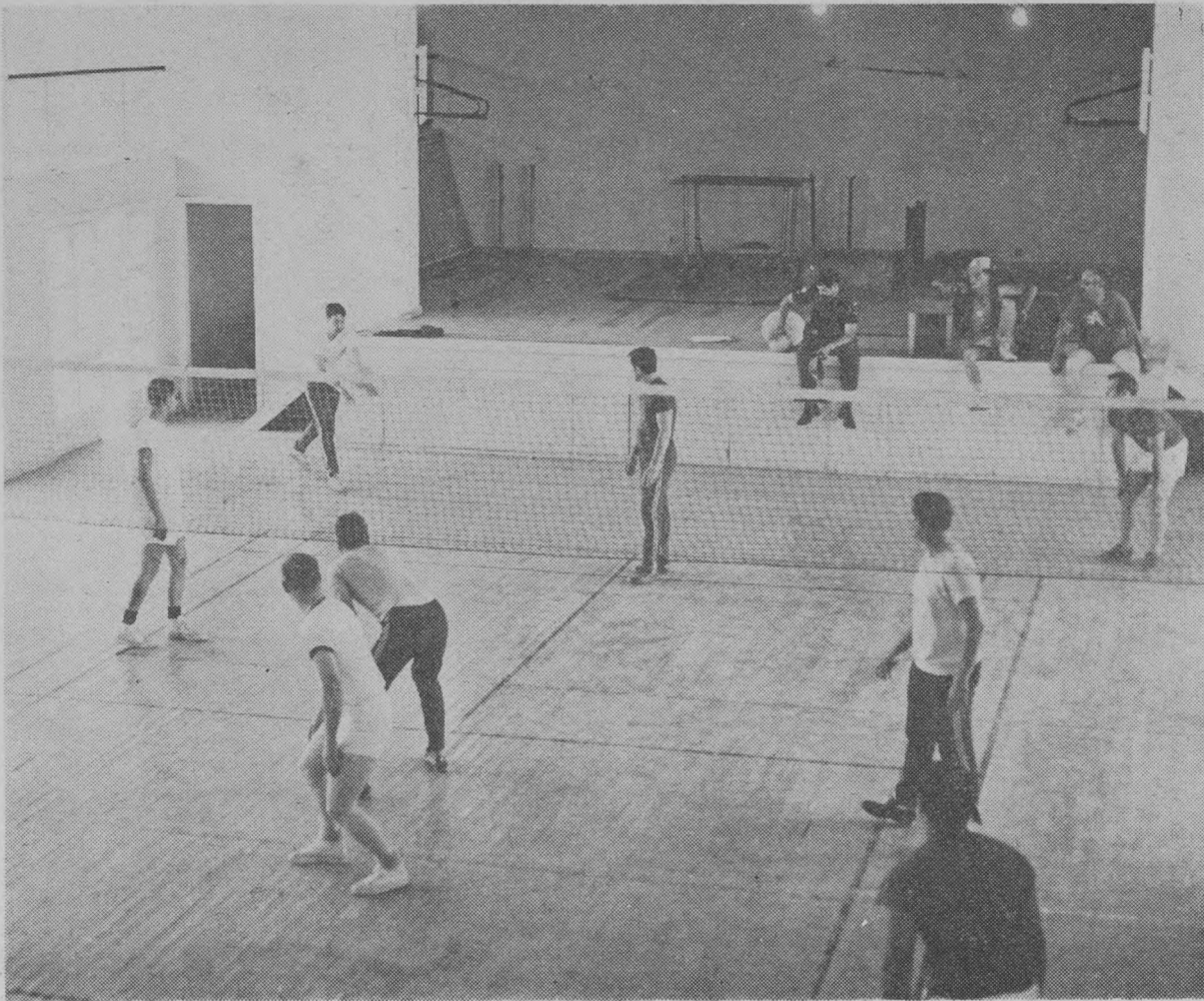
	G	P	W	L	Pts
HQ	5	4	1	8	
A	4	3	1	6	
B	5	1	4	2	
Log	4	1	3	2	

BASKET BALL LEAGUE

- 1) Log vs B (Loy by delsult)
- 2) A-81 vs US Embassy — 52

BASKET BALL

A Coy 16 vs HQ Coy 8

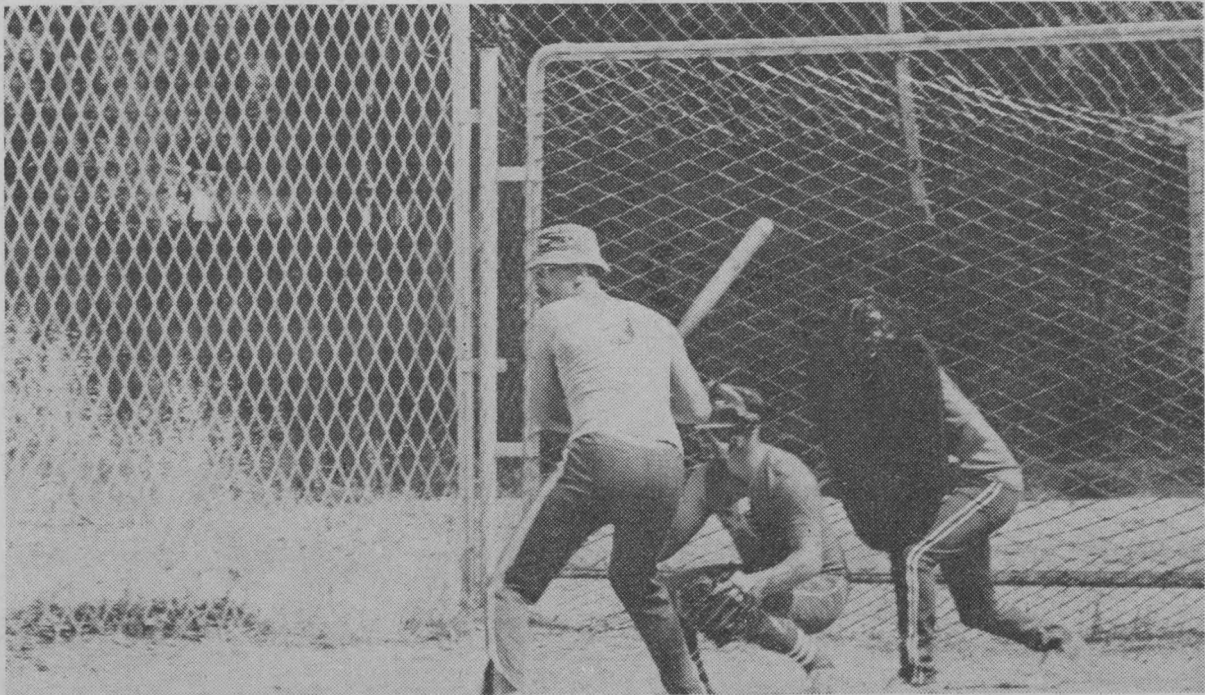


SOCCER LEAGUE

- 1) B 1 vsc A 0
- 2) Log 3 vs HQ 1

VOLLEY BALL LEAGUE

- 1) A vs HQ HQ by default
- 2) Log 2 vs B 0
- 3) A 2 vs B 1
- 4) HQ 2 vs Log 1





LADY PATRICIA VISITS B COY AT CML

FIGHTING FOUR

Hi from the western front — Cyprus-style that is.

Now that the last of the visitors have left we in 4 PI can get back to counting our sheep. Visitors! Oh yes, we just had our Colonel-in-Chief, Lady Patricia Brabourne and the Colonel of the Regiment, Major General G. G. Brown visit us. What a week that was! There were parade rehearsals, band practices and quarter guards to do. At the last minute Pte "Hopalong" Canham broke a bone in his foot playing softball. Boy, was "Drummie" Point mad, when he found out that he had lost the only French Horn player on the island.

There was more brass around than you could shake a stick at. To add greater numbers to the scene the press from CALGARY were also present here. Photographers could often be heard saying "could you do that again, I missed the shot?"

When Lady Patricia visited 4 PI on the line, it was quite an event. As she arrived in a small convoy of jeeps and personnel, Ptes Giebel and Blank gave the briefing at OP Royal and told her of the problems encountered when counting too many sheep. Pte's Aastrom and Pultz, at OP Lizard, showed her the 'friendly' Turkish soldiers. Unfortunately, because of time restraints Pte's Thompson and Zigart were unable to brief Lady Patricia on the aromatic OP Turkey Farm. 4 PI knows that

she had as good a visit with us, as we had with her.

Have to run as we are off to OP duty in the city now. Maybe we'll see what a Greek soldier looks like close up, instead of through binos.

SUPER SIX

Things are going well from inside the dust bowl. With the platoon in reserve we were tasked with camp improvements including putting a large VP on the roof of the duty NCO's hut. Under the expert supervision of MCpl Ken "Use-more-wood" Bakke and Pte Guy "I-was-a-carpenter" Charbonneau we couldn't help but go wrong. However, the sign did go up and will probably stay up until the next wind.

On May 11, we manned OP's Royal, Lizard and Turkey Farm. Rumour has it that Cpl Bob McLeod was talking to his binoculars after only five hours on Royal.

With softball under way and several members of the platoon playing for the Coy team, our very own WO Pete (coach) Stott was on hand to show us the proper way to bat? However, he had a few problems and the only thing he hit were flies. (insects that is).

Well that's all for now from super six.



THEY WENT THAT AWAY MAM

5 PL MUMBLINGS

A big hello from the men of No. 5 platoon, who are finally relaxing after a gruelling 6 weeks of OP duty. Among these OP's were Vineyard, and Turkey Farm. When manning the latter, a gas mask is certainly in order.

While some of us are still trying to comprehend Cpl Danny Stroppe's 0 groups, others are at the pool relaxing. Congratulations are forwarded to Pte Vic Ferris for having the deepest tan, (He doesn't work much) and to curly-top Cairns who has succeeded, after much effort, in keeping his tan.

MCpl Lenny Burke has just finished his most important duty so far — lowering and raising the flag. WO Legge is still working hard and often wonders how he ever did without

"Dube" Dekuysscher. It's not everyday someone parks a 3/4 ton jeep on your toe. It takes real talent to do that!

MCpl "Lobster" Ledden has just led his soccer team to victory in beating A Coy 1—0 in the first game of regular season play for the big Bee. Well done!!

Sgt Hansen continues to rocket that softball across the old home plate while MCpl Niel Bynkoski is still trying to figure out why the volleyball net is so low over here in Cyprus.

Fleet-foot Goral has already run half-way around the island; but is starting to glance over his shoulder because hot-foot than you could shake a stick at.

Lastly, on a serious note, all the boys of No. 5 platoon warmly congratulate MCpl MacDonald R. D. on his recent promotion. Well deserved and again, well done!

A COY DOMINATE SPORTS

Since the beginning of the tour "BIG RED" sports, results have been well above average. Let's take a look at some stats.

BASKETBALL — 2 wins 0 losses

A defeated B Coy by default and swamped the US EMBASSY 81—52 Pte "NEVER MISS" Weatherby and recent import Pte "SNOWFLAKE" Daniels were responsible for the damage inflicted on the American Embassy team.

BASEBALL — 3 wins — 1 loss

The only loss for the ball team came in the first game of the season and they haven't looked back since. Big Red took top honours in the tournament on May 8 by defeating B Coy 15—3 and Log Coy 7—5. Pitchers were Ptes Goodwin and MacDonald and the big hits came from MCPLS "BABE RUTH" Gallant and Capt "LIMP A LONG" Hackel. The most recent victory was a 17—8 thrashing over HQ COY. Keep up the good work and let's have some fan support....

VOLLEYBALL — 3 wins — 1 loss

The team has been playing well and suffered it's only defeat in the final of the May 8 tournament. Keep on spiking.

SOCCER — 1 win 2 losses

The stats might look bad but look for the RED MACHINE as a Dark House in this sport, lead by Sgt "STEAM ROLLER" Savoie and WO "PEEL" Nicholl. Well that's all from the sports world fans, see you next week in the winner's circle.

BASEBALL RE-ORG

AFTER THE US. EMB. PULL OUT

DATES	TEAM	LOCATION
18 May	A Coy vs HQ Coy	Wolseley Barracks
22 May	Log Coy vs B Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
25 May	A Coy vs Log Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
29 May	HQ Coy vs B Coy	Wolseley Barracks
71 June	Log Coy vs HQ Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
06 June	B Coy vs A Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
08 June	HQ Coy vs B Coy	Wolseley Barracks
13 June	A Coy vs Log	Wolseley Barracks
15 June	B Coy vs Log	Camp Maple Leaf
20 June	HQ vs A Coy	Wolseley Barracks
22 June	A Coy vs B Coy	Wolseley Barracks
27 June	Log Coy vs HQ Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
29 June	B Coy vs HQ Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
04 July	A Coy vs Log Coy	Wolseley Barracks
06 July	B Coy vs A Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
11 July	HQ vs Log Coy	Wolseley Barracks
13 July	A Coy vs HQ Coy	Wolseley Barracks
18 July	Log Coy vs B Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
20 July	A Coy vs B Coy	Wolseley Barracks
25 July	HQ Coy vs Loc Coy	Wolseley Barracks
27 July	LOG Coy vs A Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
01 Aug	B Coy vs HQ Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
03 Aug	B Coy vs Log Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
08 Aug	HQ Coy vs A Coy	Wolseley Barracks
10 Aug	Log Coy vs HQ Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
15 Aug	A Coy vs B Coy	Wolseley Barracks
17 Aug	HQ Coy vs B Coy	Wolseley Barracks
22 Aug	A Coy vs Log Coy	Wolseley Barracks
24 Aug	Log Coy vs B Coy	Camp Maple Leaf
29 Aug	HQ Coy vs A Coy	Wolseley Barracks



THE BIG SWISH BY LIMP-ALONG HACKEL



OH WHERE DID IT GO

PRESENTATION OF JUBILEE MEDALS TO MEMBERS OF 1 PPCLI



SGT C D MACLEAN



MAJ W H MINNIS



CAPT R C NEWMAN



MAJ R K MCDIARMID

The following Members also received the Jubilee Medal.

RSM WA COLBOURNE

SGT JO CARRIER

WO GC LEE

SGT MS SANDERCOCK

SGT MC SMITH

SGT A NEUSTATER

SGT RJ CAMERON

WO GL ZENERT

SGT WD GORMAN

WO JA WALTER

WO J NICHOLL

WO R SZPITUN

WO FA LEGGE

SGT CD McCLEAN

MCPL KI PARKER

MCPL BD STEELE

CPL WA McCOWAN

MCPL HY YOUNG

MCPL HC PETERSEN

MCPL DH GALLANT

MCPL DL DUGGAN

MCPL WJ DONOVAN

MCPL JR BURKE

MCPL MR AALDERS

SGT E CARTER

MCPL LW BURKE

SGT EB STEWART

MCPL TR LEWIS

SGT PM DOMSHY

TALK FROM THE MESSES



LEDRA PALACE MCPL'S CELEBRATE THE OPENING OF THEIR MESS

THE BEAVER BAR

The officers' mess at CML has recently changed its status quo. Gordie (our smallest guppy) and his fish friends have found a new home in the country (their former residence will not be disclosed due to security reasons). Also, it is now common knowledge that CML has acquired a new being — a rabbit. Mrs Lou Grimshaw had given birth to a seven pound baby girl. Our congratulations are extended to Mrs Grimshaw and the Major "Bugs" Grimshaw!

There have been many hidden officer talents/quirks which have recently come to light. As of late Lt "Sprout" Goral has been heard walking in the corridors 'Baaing' to himself. We have recommended that he learn to count sheep in his sleep so that his new appointment at the JOC would be second nature to him. Another illustrious officer has been seen in the local BBC swimming pool blowing water through his front teeth. Later, said officer was spotted thrashing about in a mud hole on the

soccer pitch. He may not have accomplished much in the way of soccer finesse but he was acknowledged as being the only underwater soccer expert the team possessed.

"Stretch" Fredrickson can often be seen jogging along the airport runways mumbling 'Three miles in twenty minutes! Who's Jim Ryan anyway? Pte Popp of B Coy the resident gym shoe peddler, is bound to be seen eyeing Stretch's shoes expectantly. Watch out for your sole Stretch!

"Harry O" Harrison has recently returned (smiling) from a trip to England. Since that time there has been rumor that the Beaver Bar would be transformed into another Dirty Dick's Tavern. Needless to say, "Harry O" was allowed to work only in the renovations for the Cypriot Room.

By decree, all officers will gather for one hour of dart practice a day — Senior NCO's take heed

CML WO's AND SGT's MESS

The WO's and SGT's Mess is still undergoing extensive renovations with painting, minor repair and improvements. It has been noted, however, that not all of the members of the mess are contributing to the work projects. Therefore it has been proposed that a "working-bee" be formed of all the members of the mess at a time to be announced. It is hoped that with maximum effort great things will be accomplished.

A fine job is being done on the Mess's new sauna by WO "Scratch" Pelkey and Sgt Doug Walker our resident engineers and masonry experts.

For those of you who are connoisseurs of fine foods, WO Pete Stott can make a recommendation as to the type of a sauce you should use. It is a rare old sauce, rediscovered by him and aptly called "Stott Sauce". However, be warned, it has an alarming sideeffect and that is it tends to induce sleep. WO Stott, as we all know, is a high-

ly energetic person, so the sauce has no visible effects.

The CSM is still awaiting his wake-up call by WO Stott, but WO Stott is having problems with his alarm clock.

Sgt Don Vardy is now working on the second Bullworker as WO Stott broke the first one in a vicious display of muscles and raw power. WO Frank Legge has taken the necessary steps to aid Sgt Vardy in the protection of his property by placing the Bullworker "out of bounds" to WO Stott.

Capt Ruiters had a wonderful time when all the CML officers were invited to the WO's and SGT's mess and is looking forward to a return visit.

All in all, things are coming along very well in the mess. On a final note the CSM is anxiously awaiting the opportunity to show anyone how to carry an ice-cream cone while sauntering through the attention area.

Until next time, stay out of the "Stott Sauce".